APPLICATION PROGRAMMING INTERFACE FOR PROVISIONING SERVICES

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

5   An invention is provided for provisioning services to client devices. In one

embodiment, discovery transactions are included that allow an adapter software

component to retrieve information regarding services available to a client device from a

provisioning application. A service comprises a plurality of content files capable of being

installed on the client device. Also included are subscription transactions that allow an

10   adapter software component to manage content in service directories. A service directory

comprises a plurality of services. In addition, delivery transactions are included that

allow an adapter to facilitate downloading of data related to services to the client device.